

REPORT OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT READ

Secretary of City Health Board Submits Annual Statement to The Council.

LITTLE BUSINESS TRANSACTED

Question of Street Improvement Will Be Taken up at Public Works Meeting Tonight.

The city council met in regular session Thursday evening with all the members present, except Hodapp. In the absence of Mayor Allen Swope Councilman A. A. Davison presided at the session.

After the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved clerk John Hauenschild read the yearly report of the health board as follows:

Seymour, Ind., Jan. 4, 1911.
To the Honorable Council, and Mayor Gentlemen:

I have the following annual report to submit, for the year 1910:

Births,	187
White,	185
Colored,	2
Deaths,	96
Adults,	58
Children,	38
Contagious Diseases,	101
Measles,	57
Diphtheria,	40
Scarlet Fever,	4

62 rooms, in houses quarantined have been fumigated, \$32.24.
5 families while under quarantine have been furnished groceries, \$12.50.
One family while under quarantine furnished coal, \$2.00.
4 families quarantined, unable to buy antitoxine, were supplied by the city, \$23.00.

William Bahner, employed by the Board, as Sanitary Commissioner, served 72 days, \$108.00.
Expenses of the Secretary, in attendance State School for Instruction, \$3.10.

In connection with this statistical report, I desire to state that thirteen deaths of the ninety-six reported, were caused by tuberculosis.

The city records of death for the last eight years, show one death in every seven, was caused by tuberculosis.

An epidemic of diphtheria, occurred in the southwest part of town early in September, caused, largely by a wanton disregard for the law of quarantine.

The Mayor, detailed a policeman to patrol the infected district. Some arrests were made and the violators punished with heavy fines.

Owing to the continued prevalence of diphtheria, during November, the Laurel street school was closed for a period of twenty-one days.

Less complaint than usual was made to the Secretary, during the past year, in regard to ashes and garbage haulers.

Considering the season of winter, the sanitary condition of the city is fairly good.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. CARTER,

Secretary, Board of Health.

Councilman Misch reported that several property owners on South Vine street desired to have their

sidewalks improved with cinders and desired to have the street commissioner do the work. It was explained that it was not the duty of the street commissioner to repair the sidewalks, and the matter will be taken up at the meeting of the board of public works this evening.

The reports of the city clerk and treasurer were read and referred to the finance committee which will also be in session tonight.

Councilman Mills moved that R. M. Kindig, who has the contract for the construction of the new house on west Third street owned by Mrs. H. C. Whitmer, be instructed to remove the obstructions in the street. The motion was carried.

Councilman Davison, chairman of the board of public works stated that he desired that the question of the street improvement be taken up tonight and suggested that the councilmen be prepared to take some definite action as to the streets which were to be improved. He said in his opinion the state legislature would enact several new laws this season regarding the manner in which such improvements should be made, and that the final action should not be made until after such purposed laws were adopted or rejected.

The following claims were allowed:

J. Pettig Co., supplies,	\$ 6 95
Chris. Moritz, hauling,	5 00
Isaac Burrell, Salary St. Com. 21 00	
William Aufenberg, labor,	7 05
Henry Wooley, labor,	5 70
August Kerl, labor,	4 05
T. M. Hopewell, teams,	5 10
J. M. Reider, supplies,	6 15
Edward Scheurick, assisting city engineer,	50
James Jones, labor,	14 85
J. McConnell, labor,	18 00
A. A. Davison, expenses to Good Roads Meeting,	6 00
Mrs. Constance, cleaning city hall,	6 00
Geo. J. Mayer, 300 dog checks,	5 00
Seymour Water Co., rental,	12 50
Domestic Steam Laundry,	45
Volunteer Firemen,	7 50
Prisoners,	1 00

POULTRY SHOW

Large Attendance, Premiums are Being Awarded.

A large number of people visited the poultry show on S. Chestnut street last night and today. Interest in the exhibition is increasing and the membership of the poultry association has been considerably increased since the show began. The success this year and the interest manifested will make assurance for a bigger and better show next year.

More birds came in from Medora this morning too late for entry but they were placed on exhibition.

The work of scoring and awarding of premiums is going on.

The following awards were announced this forenoon:

Rose Comb Black Minorcas: George A. Clark of Seymour, captured the following: cock, 1st; hen, 1st and 2nd; cockerel, 1st, 2nd and 3rd; pullet, 1st, 2nd and 3rd; breeding pen 1st.
Single Comb Black Minorcas: Frank Boyd of Columbus, 1st on cockerel, pullet and hen; 2nd and 3rd; on pullet, 1st on pen.

Buff Rocks: James Marsh of Reddington, 1st on hen; 2nd on cock, cockerel, pullet and pen; 3rd on pullet and cockerel; Charles Crawford, 3rd on cockerel, G. T. Bartlett, 1st on cock, cockerel, pullet and pen; 2nd on hen.

All who know themselves in debt to

Richard Shoe Store will please call and settle at once.

d3d&wtf L. W. RICHART.

EVIDENCE HEARD IN LIQUOR CASE

Matt Jackson Denied Having Sold Whiskey to Carrie Smith in Violation of Law.

MANY HEAR THE TESTIMONY

Case Delayed About Two Hours on Account of Jury.—Prosecutor Appears For State.

Matt Jackson, the proprietor of a soft drink stand at the corner of Second and Ewing streets, was on trial in Mayor's Swope court today charged with violating the liquor laws. The affidavit, upon which the trial was grounded, was sworn to by Carrie Smith, who alleged that she has purchased a drink of whiskey from the defendant. The affiant was the prosecuting witness at the trial.

The case was called about 9 o'clock this morning, but almost two hours were consumed in securing a jury. A large venire was subpoenaed and it was about eleven o'clock before the jury was sworn. The following jury-men heard the evidence: L. S. Sweeney, Theo. Ridlen, Ed Bryan, Dr. L. M. Mains, sr., James DeGolyer, Charles Roemmel, R. O. Mayes, Dan Wilson, Jacob Schultheis, Charles Bush, Arizona Montgomery and Bruce Jarvis. The prosecuting witness testified that she purchased a glass of whiskey from the defendant upon the day named in the affidavit and also bought liquor for two friends. The defendant denied the charge of having violated the law.

Only a few witnesses were examined and the evidence was completed shortly before 2 o'clock. Prosecuting attorney Noble Hayes conducted the prosecution and F. W. Wesner was the attorney for the defendant. The prosecutor completed his argument about 2:45 o'clock this afternoon, speaking about forty-five minutes. The arguments on both sides will probably be completed before 3:30 o'clock, when the case will go to the jury.

A large number of spectators were present during the trial and the court room was crowded both this morning and this afternoon.

Next Attraction.

The next attraction at the Majestic will be given Saturday night, when a strong company will present "The House of a Thousand Candles." The play has been well received wherever it has been given, and a good audience is expected here. No matinee will be given.

Celery, Grape Fruit, Rutabaga at the Model Grocery.

Start the new year right. Buy your cakes and pies at Loertz.

The remains of the late William McCann were taken to Logansport this morning for burial. He died Thursday morning in Indianapolis. The remains were accompanied by his wife, her brother, Marion Arvin and his brother, Frank McCann.

Celery, Grape Fruit, Rutabaga at the Model Grocery.

ALBERT KASTING Is Selected for Legislative Clerkship By Representative Branaman.

In the distribution of patronage in the lower house of the legislature, Representative Branaman was given the privilege of naming a clerk. He named Albert Kasting of this city for the place. Marion Weddle also of Seymour, was an applicant for a place.

He was a doorkeeper in the house by appointment from Thomas Honan two years ago.

It is understood that in the Democratic caucus Representative Branaman was for Albert Venneman of Evansville, the successful candidate for speaker.

SENATOR LONG

Drew Two Committee Chairmanships in State Senate.

In the State Senate committee assignments, Senator Long, of this district, was made chairman of the committee on Roads and of the committee on Legislative Expense. He also landed on the Federal Relations, Manufactures and Corporation committees. He was given one appointment in the distribution of patronage and selected a man from Brown county, his home.

New Books.

The following new books have been added to the Seymour Public Library: Cyclopaedia of Heating, Plumbing, and Sanitation, 4 V.

The Burning of Rome—A. J. Church The Hammer—A. J. Church.

To the Lions—A. J. Church. Marius the Epicurean—Walter Pater.

Darkness and Dawn or Scenes in the Days of Nero—F. W. Farray. Treasure of the Seas—J. D. Mills. The Guillotine Club—S. Wier Mitchell.

Fraternity—Anonymous.

Funeral Services.

The funeral services of the late James W. Pomeroy, who died Thursday morning at his home in Mitchell, will be held Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence of G. F. Pomeroy, 202 North Pine street, this city. The remains will be brought here this afternoon on the B. & O. S-W. train arriving here at 3:43 o'clock. Rev. F. M. Huckleberry will officiate at the funeral services which will be in charge of the B. of L. E. Lodge.

Exhibition Car.

An exhibition car containing a collection of grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables grown in Oregon, Washington and Montana will be in Seymour January 9th. The car is making a trip through this part of the country as an advertisement of those states. The car will remain at the P. C. C. & St. L. depot in order to give anyone desiring an opportunity to see the exhibition.

Ten Dollars Fine.

Mrs. Tena Reeves, who was arrested Thursday for violating the quarantine laws was fined ten dollars and costs by Justice Congdon. The bill amounted to eighteen dollars.

Having purchased C. C. Koester's line of groceries at 122 W. Bruce St., I will be glad to have you call and see my line of goods and continue your patronage.

j7d J. W. HIEN.

Aviation Saps at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 at the Ideal. j6d

Kindling and coal at H. F. White's.

GOOD ATTENDANCE AT THE INSTITUTE

Officers Predict one of the Greatest Meetings Ever Held in Seymour.

MEETINGS HELD AT MAJESTIC

Discussions Which Have Followed Lectures Have Been Enthusiastic and Instructive.

What promises to be one of the most successful sessions of the Jackson county farmers' institute ever held in Seymour convened about 11 o'clock this morning at the Majestic theatre when the first meeting was called to order by Ernst May, chairman of Redding township. The Rev. F. M. Huckleberry, pastor of the First Baptist church pronounced the invocation, after which Franklin G. King, of Purdue University was introduced.

Mr. King spoke upon the subject of "Feeding and Wintering Cattle" and his address was greatly enjoyed. He had before him a number of charts which were used to show the advantages of feeding and wintering stock in the proper manner. The speaker has given his subject much study and attention and was able to present many valuable and instructive suggestions.

After the close of the address by Mr. King, an informal discussion was conducted in which the various farmers present told of their success or failure in cattle raising. Several of those in attendance asked a number of questions regarding the subject which were answered by Mr. King.

The morning attendance was very satisfactory, especially as it was the opening meeting. Much interest in the work was shown, and the discussions were enthusiastic and helpful.

The afternoon session was attended by a much larger number from different parts of the county. August Mitschke, county chairman of the institute, presided. Preceding the address of Mr. King, Misses Edna Kasting and Elizabeth Hoffman entertained the audience with some excellent music. The subject of Mr. King for this session was "The Brood Sow and Her Litter," and it was discussed in a very instructive manner. In his address it pointed out that hog raising could be made much more profitable if conducted in the proper manner. Following the address George E. Kasting lead a discussion in which a large number of those present took a part.

Mrs. Cora Meahl, of Vallonia, then followed with an excellent talk upon the subject, "How to Make Good Butter." Her subject was one which was especially interesting to the ladies present and was highly complimented. Lula Bowers lead the discussion which followed the address. The afternoon session closed with a instrumental solo by Miss Flora Welliver, of Reddington.

At the session this evening an address will be given by J. A. Driscoll, of Liberty. Music will be furnished by the high school orchestra, by the ladies' quartet and by Miss Mabel Hodapp and Don A. Bollinger. J. A. Linke, superintendent of the schools will deliver an address upon "Com-

munity Interest." Fred E. Miller will be the presiding officer.

A large number of exhibits are on display, and many more are expected before tomorrow. The displays are being shown in the Society Hall. The premiums will be announced tomorrow. The public is invited to attend the meetings of the institute, and no charge is made for admittance. An effort is being made to have the total attendance of the county institutes larger than it was last year when over 5,000 persons attended. Almost half of that number were recorded in Seymour.

WEEK OF PRAYER

Attendance and Interest in the Meetings Increasing Each Evening.

The meetings in observance of the week of Prayer are growing in spirit and in numbers. Last evening the seats in the German M. E. church were filled with an interested audience to give their moral support to the meetings and to hear Rev. J. W. Short, pastor of the Nazarene church, preach. The spirit of the meeting was good, and there is a growing feeling among the church-going people that these meetings ought to be continued for some time in the future. And in harmony with this spirit, the ministers held a meeting at the close of the services last evening and unanimously agreed that they were in hearty sympathy with the desire to continue the meetings, and a program or order of services for next week was arranged.

The meetings are to continue next week, and longer, if the ministers and people think wise.

The meeting this evening will be held with the Nazarene church, and Dr. C. E. Asbury, pastor of the First M. E. church, will preach. Let there be a good audience to hear the message. They may have the assurance they will hear a good sermon.

Come, pray, bring some one with you. Religion is the biggest thing in Seymour, and it deserves the support of all the people.

Notice.

The stockholders of the Seymour National Bank, of Seymour, Indiana, will meet in annual meeting at their banking house, in Seymour, Indiana, on January 10, 1911, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing five directors and the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

J. S. MILLS, Cashier.

Dec. 9, 1910. j10d

Shareholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the First National Bank of Seymour, Indiana, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at its Banking House, on Tuesday, January 10, 1911 at 10 a. m.

j9d J. H. ANDREWS, Cashier.

For Recount.

The Mayor of Washington, has appointed a committee of business and professional men to have charge of the census to be taken. Washington people are determined to show if possible that the census report which showed a heavy loss of population in the city during the past ten years, was not correct.

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SONG—"As The Train Rolled Away" by Miss Riehl.

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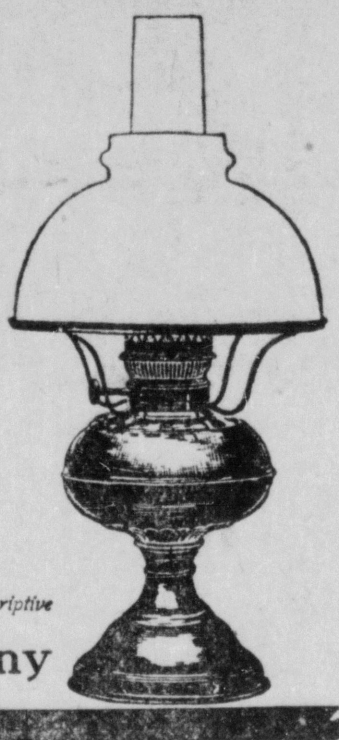
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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 8, 1910

Jeroboam Makes Idols For Israel to Worship.
1 Kings 12: 25 to 13: 6

GOLDEN TEXT:—Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image.
Exod. 20: 4

All the predictions and foreshadowings of Scripture and their fulfillments should be of the greatest possible interest to every child of God, and before we leave the story of Rehoboam we should notice that in the fifth year of his reign, or just about thirty-four years after the temple was completed, it was plundered by Shishak, king of Egypt. Compare I Kings vi, 38, and II Chron. xii, 2, 9. In John ii, 19-21, the Lord Jesus spoke of Himself as the temple and of His death and resurrection, and He must have been about thirty-four years of age when He was crucified.

In the lesson of today we are introduced to Jeroboam, son of Nebat, the first king of the ten tribes, and afterward spoken of over twenty times as the man who made Israel to sin, and this he did deliberately, although he had been told that the kingdom had been divided and part of it given to him because of this very sin of idolatry on the part of Solomon (chapter xi, 31-38). He had also been told that if he would do right in the sight of the Lord the Lord would be with him and build him a sure house.

He seems, however, to have had no confidence in the assurance of the Lord, but was afraid that if the people went to Jerusalem to offer sacrifice in the house of the Lord the kingdom would return to the house of David. So he took counsel and made two calves of gold, placing one in Bethel and one in Dan, for the people to worship and said, "Behold thy gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt" (verse 28). There is an evil one, the devil, who hates the living and true God and His word and His people and ever seeks to have people worship him instead of God. Whatever is not the worship of God is the worship of the devil and of demons, and all idolatry is of the devil (Deut. xxxii, 16, 17; I Cor. x, 20; Ps. cvi, 35-37). The great deceiver and enemy of God and man sought to have even the Son of God worship him and to that end offered Him all the kingdoms of the world and the glory of them (Matt. iv, 8-10). He will ere this age closes, but after the church has been caught away, possess a man whom all the world will worship except those whose names are in the book of life (Rev. xii, 4-8). This Jeroboam and all others from Cain onward to the antichrist of the last days, who do not believe God and therefore do believe the devil, are all one family and on their way to the place prepared for the devil and his angels (Matt. xxv, 41).

In verse 28 we read that the king

took counsel, but it was certainly not of God, reminding us of Isa. xxx, 1, 2: viii, 9, 10, for it is only the counsel of the Lord that stands (Ps. xxxiii, 10, 11). The whole thing was a device of his own heart, like the false prophets of Jer. xxiii, 16, 20, whom the Lord did not send, and therefore the devil did. Three of the places mentioned in our lesson were places of the greatest possible interest to a child of God, and if Jeroboam had been such he could not but have profited greatly by the recollection of what had happened there. Two of them, Shechem and Bethel, would have reminded him of an altar unto the Lord and of the Lord's appearing to Abraham and to Jacob (Gen. xii and xxviii). At Peniel or Peniel the Lord wrestled with Jacob, humbled him and gave him his new name of Israel, and Jacob said, "I have seen God face to face" (Gen. xxxii, 24). At Shechem Joshua delivered his farewell address to Israel, which might have done Jeroboam good if he could have read it, for he greatly needed such words.

There also the body of Joseph was buried, which the children of Israel brought out of Egypt (Josh. xxiv). And there the Lord Jesus sat on Jacob's well and saved the woman of Samaria (John iv) and afterward many others. Dan was the northern boundary of the land, and Bethel was in the south of the ten tribes, so that Jeroboam might be said to have filled the land with idolatry from north to south. How fearful and horrible! (Jer. v, 30, 31). The prophet Ahijah was commissioned to tell Jeroboam by the mouth of his wife that because of his sin the Lord would root up Israel out of the land and scatter them beyond the river (chapter xiv, 12-16).

If an expression can be a key to a chapter, then chapter xiii is the greatest "man of God" chapter in the Bible, for the title is found there fifteen times, though the name of the man of God is not given.

It is a marvelous record and a most solemn warning not to believe even an angel nor a prophet, however venerable, if his testimony is contrary to the word of God. It may be that the Apostle Paul had it in mind when he, by the Spirit, wrote Gal. i, 8. In chapter xiii, 2, we have Josiah, the king, mentioned by name about 300 years before he was born, and the fulfillment of this prediction concerning him is recorded in II Kings xxiii, 15-17. May this prediction and fulfillment strengthen us to believe firmly that every prediction in Scripture shall be as literally fulfilled. Read carefully this wonderful chapter.

SHAFROTH ENJOYS OYSTERS.

Colorado Governor Devours 485 and Astounds the Texans.

In these stirring times of competitions, in which contestants drink twenty pints of beer daily for a month or eat one quail and drink a quart of champagne under the same calendar conditions, the recent achievement of Governor John F. Shafroth of Colorado should not be overlooked, though his demonstration of appetite was limited to oysters.

The Colorado executive headed a delegation from this state to the trans- mississippi congress at St. Louis, and en route home they visited Galveston.



Governor J. F. Shafroth of Colorado.

The Texans professed themselves honored and announced a competition in the demolition of the gulf oyster, which every visitor entered, for a leather medal.

At first Governor Shafroth attracted little attention, but as the contestants began to drop out the monotonous count of the governor's watcher could be heard, and it was seen he was distancing all competitors by sheer endurance. An hour or so later all the entries but Shafroth were out, and his counter cheerfully yelled, "Four hundred and eighty-five!"

Noiseless Soup Spoon Is Godsend.

There are persons with aesthetic tastes in table manners, but with unfortunate habits, such as the musical absorption of soup and other liquids. For such a savior has appeared in the person of a St. Louis inventor, who has placed a noiseless soup spoon on the market. This is expected to receive the indorsement of various societies, for the suppression of noise and to do away with the din of the dinner.

Of course there is a prejudice to be overcome among those who have used the noisy spoon since childhood, but obligatory methods may silence such objections.



RALEIGH'S PIPE IS FOR SALE

Explorer Took Last Whiff From It Before Decapitation.

Devotees of tobacco, and particularly pipe smokers, will be interested to learn that the pipe which Sir Walter Raleigh smoked just before he was decapitated is being offered for sale in England. Sir Walter was credited with introducing smoking into European circles on his return from America, and he was always an ardent worshiper of the Virginia plant.

The pipe is a curious affair and more nearly resembles the German student's comforter than other shapes



SIR WALTER RALEIGH'S PIPE.

now popular. It is of the long stemmed variety and made from branches. Bishop Andrews, dean of Westminster, administered the last sacrament to Raleigh and was presented with the pipe when the condemned man took his last whiff. From the prelate the relic has descended to its present owner.

TWO TOWNS HAVE BEEN ENGULFED

Horrid Details of Earthquake in Turkestan.

LAKE OCCUPIES SITE OF CITY

With Its Ten Thousand Inhabitants the City of Prjevalsk Was Swallowed Up and the Waters of Lake Issik Kul Poured Into Giant Chasm—Pijpek, With Its Six Thousand Inhabitants, Also Reported Engulfed.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 6.—Reports reaching the newspapers here continually magnify the disaster, though authenticated accounts of the earthquake in Russian Turkestan Wednesday are still lacking. It is stated that the town of Prjevalsk, near Lake Issik Kul, sank with all its inhabitants, 10,000 of whom were killed. A new lake now occupies the site of the town. Pijpek, on the river Chu, is also reported to have been engulfed with a large part of its 6,000 inhabitants. The destruction of the few telegraph lines in that region prevents verification of the reports or the obtaining of details.

Undoubtedly the shock was very violent. It is supposed to have extended for 800 miles east and west.

THE ELKINS VACANCY

Governor Glasscock Will Probably Leave It to Assembly to Fill.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 6.—Governor Glasscock refuses to give any indication of his action in regard to the senatorial vacancy caused by the death of Senator Elkins. Under the law the governor has the right to name someone to fill the term until the legislature meets, but this body assembles next week. It is considered probable in view of this fact that no one may be named by the governor. Mr. Glasscock declines to discuss the matter in any way.

The flags on all state buildings were ordered at half mast. In spite of the governor's silence as to whether or not he will name anyone, various persons have been suggested as probable recipients of the honor. Among the names heard is Isaac T. Mann of Bramwell and Congressman Joseph Gaines.

There is a suggested coincidence in the death of Senator Elkins. In 1893, the day before the legislature met, Senator Kenna died. A fight for a seat was being waged between Camden and Faulkner, and the death of Kenna creating a second vacancy, both were elected.

HE STILL INSISTS

Mr. Rainey Determined to Bring Out Roosevelt's Railway Bills.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Representative Rainey of Illinois offered a resolution in the house several weeks ago providing in a general way for an inquiry into the cost of Mr. Roosevelt's travels while he was president and calling for information as to whether Roosevelt paid his own expenses on such trips and if any unpaid bills on this account were held against the railroads. Yesterday Mr. Rainey submitted another resolution providing for the creation of a congressional committee of five to make the proposed investigation. The committee is authorized to make inquiries of Mr. Roosevelt's relations with all railroads in the matter of travel, but specifically names the Pennsylvania, the Northern Pacific and the Southern roads.

May Be Body of Grace.

Christiania, Jan. 6.—The body of a young man was washed ashore on the beach at Hangesund, Norway. The clothing was apparently that of an aviator, but the description of it does not tally with that worn by Cecil Grace.

Not Guilty of Murder.

Logansport, Ind., Jan. 6.—The jury in the case of Henry Cotterman, charged with the murder of James T. Brown in 1908, returned a verdict of not guilty.

The Washington-Alaska bank at Fairbanks, with deposits of \$1,000,000, has failed and a receiver has been appointed. It is expected that the creditors will receive 50 cents on the dollar.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
New York.....	24	Pt. Cloudy
Albany.....	14	Clear
Atlantic City..	26	Clear
Boston.....	22	Clear
Buffalo.....	10	Pt. Cloudy
Chicago.....	22	Cloudy
Indianapolis..	29	Clear
St. Louis.....	42	Clear
New Orleans..	40	Pt. Cloudy
Washington...	28	Clear
Philadelphia..	28	Pt. Cloudy

Fair and colder, probably preceded by snow in extreme northern portions; Saturday fair.

AN AMERICAN BERTHA KRUPP.

Catherine Barker, Aged Fourteen, Has Car Plant Worth \$14,000,000.

The United States now learns that it has a Bertha Krupp in Catherine Barker, aged fourteen, of Michigan City, Ind. Little Miss Barker was recently left a fortune of \$14,000,000 by her father, John H. Barker, head of an immense plant near Chicago where everything from palace to coal cars are made.

This fortune makes Catherine Barker one of the richest unmarried girls in the country, if not the world. Her wealth is about the same as Miss Helen Gould's, half again as large as that of Miss Jennie Crocker of San Fran-



MISS CATHERINE BARKER.

cisco and seven times that of Miss Dorothy Whitney of New York. Not only does she own the car works, but stock in Chicago and Duluth banks as well.

A Chicago bank has been named as trustee and will administer the child's income and also see that when she marries her husband shall have no access to any part of the Barker millions.

Miss Catherine is well schooled and speaks French and German as well as she does English. She is an out of door child and rides, walks, swims and roller skates with enjoyment. Motoring, tennis and golf are other recreations.

CZAR WHO TABOOED SALOME

Sergeant O'Donnell Chicago Police Censor For Years.

When the directors of the Chicago Grand Opera company recently announced that "Salome" would be withdrawn from the repertoire a chorus of loud artistic cries arose, the soprano of Mary Garden being easily audible above the rest, for is she not Salome? The debate as to what constituted the limits of dramatic and operatic art started anew the country over. Because of all this turmoil two Chicagoans divided the blame for the decapitation of Salome. One was Chief of Police Leroy T. Steward and the other Sergeant Charles O'Donnell.

As a matter of fact, neither caused the withdrawal, the declination of the public to purchase seats after the first performance being the real cause. Chief Steward, however, had attended with his wife unofficially and in the same way he criticised the Garden



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SERGEANT CHARLES O'DONNELL.

"head" dance as resembling "a cat rolling in a bed of catnip." Naturally that allied him with the antics. O'Donnell, who has been police censor of objectionable shows of all sorts for many years, merely remarked that he "couldn't see any more art in a woman groveling on the floor and moaning over a man's top piece than in a dog worrying a severed pig's head at the stockyards." He added that Chicago's packing industries were sufficiently advertised.

Miss Garden said many things, among them that "Chicago is not all America by a d—d sight."

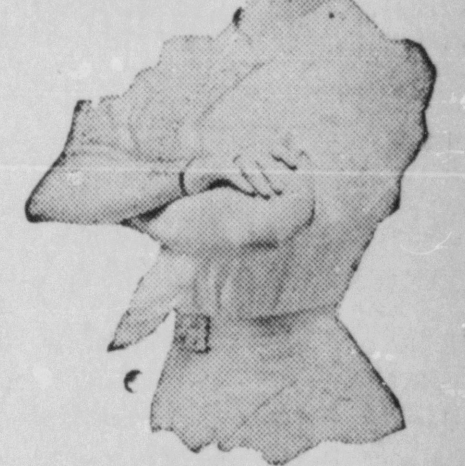
Sergeant O'Donnell, however, points with pride to the fact that London has had its first vision of "Salome" and that the English censor toned the opera in the very features that aroused his comment.

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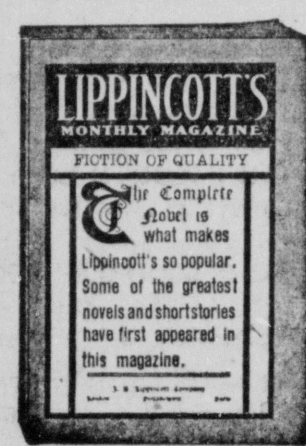
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The legislature is now in session and the "plums" are being divided among the loyal workers of the democratic party.

The law-abiding citizens of Seymour want to see the law enforced and the notorious unlawful joints closed up. The mayor has been vested with the authority to do this, and the citizens rightfully look to him to see that the laws are obeyed and respected. Continued unrestrained violation of law will result in serious consequences, and a check should be

placed upon the violators. The mayor has been elected to represent the best interests of the people, and it is his duty to perform the functions of that office in accordance with the oath which he was required to take before assuming the responsibilities of his position.

Order of Eastern Star Officers.

The Order of Eastern Star installed the following officers last night. Mrs. Mattie Dannettell, W. M. William Meske, W. P. Mrs. Jennie Williams, A. M. Mrs. Hattie Boyles, Cond. Mrs. Lizzie Bretthauer, A. C. Miss Nellie Everhart, Sec'y. Mrs. Ida Miller, Treas. Mrs. Anna Hodapp, Adah. Miss Bertha Meske, Ruth. Miss Stella Rosentfield, Esther. Miss Joanna Newby, Martha. Mrs. Laura Cox, Electa. Mrs. Anna Carter, Oranist. Mrs. Tena Voss, Marshal. Mrs. Louise Meyer, Warder. H. C. Dannettell, Sentinel. After the installation of the officers a banquet was served. Mrs. Bertha Meske was the installing officer.

RECLAMATION OF ARID LANDS

President Sends Special Message on Subject.

\$20,000,000 FOR PROJECT

Board of Army Engineers Recommends This Sum and It Is Approved by the President—Urges Further Legislation.

Washington, Jan. 5.—President Taft sent a message to congress today relating to the reclamation of arid lands.

He refers to the act which provides for a reclamation fund to be created from the sale of public lands which amounted on June 30, 1910, to \$65,715,179 of which \$52,945,441 had been expended on thirty-two projects in the arid land states of the west. The government was ready on June 30, to extend water to 876,884 acres of land. The total amount to be reclaimed under the projects is 3,100,000 acres.

The president says that the receipts for the irrigation fund, amounting to between six and seven million dollars annually, was insufficient for the completion of existing projects with sufficient expedition and congress authorized issuance of certificates to the amount of \$20,000,000 to be used in completing projects, but that no portion could be expended upon them until examined and reported upon by a board of army engineers and approved as feasible and practicable.

After examination the board recommended the allotment of the twenty million dollars to the following projects in the amounts given:

Salt River, Arizona	\$ 495,000
Grand Valley, Colorado	2,000,000
Yuma, Arizona and Calif.	1,200,000
Uncompahgre, Colorado	1,500,000
Payette-Boise, Idaho	2,000,000
Milk River, Montana	1,000,000
North Platte, Wyoming and Nebraska	2,000,000
Truckee-Carson, Nevada	1,192,000
Rio Grand, New Mexico, Texas and Mexico	4,500,000
Umatilla, Oregon	325,000
Klamath, Oregon and Calif.	600,000
Strawberry Valley, Utah	2,272,000
Sunnyside, Yakima, Wash.	1,250,000
Teton, Yakima, Wash.	665,000

The board also recommends that the following amounts be expended during the years 1911-1914, inclusive, out of the general reclamation fund upon the projects named, amounting to \$25,351,897:

Yuma	\$2,380,462
Grand Valley	500,000
Uncompahgre	2,065,000
Minidoka	528,000
Payette-Boise	4,585,435
Huntley	110,000
Milk River	2,950,000
Sun River	3,278,000
Lower Yellowstone	576,000
North Platte	2,165,000
Truckee-Carson	1,594,000
Rio Grande	1,855,000
Missouri Pumping	270,000
Belle Fourche	480,000
Okanogan	18,000
Shoshone	2,000,000

No allotments are recommended for Orland, Cal., Garden City, Kan., Kittitas, Waputa and Benton, Wash., Carlsbad and Hondo, New Mex. With regard to the Yakima project, the board recommends a general system of storage reservoirs, providing congress authorizes the sale of the excess of stored water so that a return of the cost of building the reservoirs will be secured.

The report of the board was approved by the president but the president urges further legislation, saying:

"I earnestly recommend the enactment of a law which will permit of the disposition of any surplus stored water available for reclamation projects to persons, associations, or corporations operating systems for the delivery of water to individual water users for the irrigation of arid lands and the enactment of legislation which will give executive authority for the modification of conditions of payments for water rights on certain of the projects where, by reason of local conditions, the return of the cost of the project to the reclamation fund will not be secured unless settlers are permitted to make payments on terms or conditions other than those specified in the public notices heretofore issued."

The president closes with the statement that with funds now at the disposal of the government, and the additional legislation it is hoped work upon the projects may proceed early and settlers will soon be able to return to the treasury the amount expended in construction of the projects.

ANARCHISTS CREMATED

Tragedy Follows Bloody Fight with Policemen in London.

After a bloody battle in the streets of London, England, with a large force of police, a number of anarchists suspected of being connected with a plot against King George took refuge in a house in Sydney street, where they continued to fire on the crowds outside.

The house was finally set on fire and six of the anarchists were burned to death. Before perishing they killed two firemen. They had previously killed three policemen.

STALE EGGS GIVEN BLOW

Poultry Men Favor Reform in Regard to Selling Bad Eggs.

F. H. Hadley, of Seymour, secretary of the Indiana and Western Ohio Poultry Association, and also a member of the executive committee of that association met at Indianapolis Thursday with the five other members of the committee at the office of H. E. Barnard, state food and drug inspector. Several subjects pertaining to the poultry business were discussed among which was the cold storage bill. The representatives present went on record as favoring the proposed bill.

Mr. Barnard, who drafted the cold storage bill said:

"Every member expressed himself in favor of a law similar to the pure food law, making the sale of bad eggs a violation of the statute, punishable by fine and imprisonment. The members are willing and anxious to assume all responsibility under the act. The committee was heartily in favor of candling all eggs and purchasing on the 'loss-off' basis. The tremendous loss to the honest farmer who sells eggs in competition with his neighbor who is not scrupulous was pointed out. Under present methods dealers are compelled to buy eggs in expectation of finding a greater or less per cent rotten. They could pay 2 or 3 cents more on the dozen if they knew all would be sound."

"The association," continued Mr. Barnard, "recommended that the egg business be revised so that storage eggs be sold as such, rather than as fresh country eggs. The dealers maintain that storage eggs, which means fresh, sound eggs, held at sufficiently low temperature to keep them sound, are just as satisfactory to the consumer as fresh-laid eggs. The dislike for storage eggs is due to the fact that under that name are marketed all bad eggs."

"The dealers declare that they are certain farmers who buy eggs of cold storage houses, take them to the country and sell them to hucksters as strictly fresh eggs. At the present time Indiana eggs are worth more on the market than eggs of any other state. If the farmers cease selling bad eggs, Indiana eggs will be quoted even higher than now."

Mr. Barnard considers the cold storage bill as one of the most important reforms to be promulgated in the interests of purer foods.

DOUBLE ORDERED SYSTEM.

Interurban Men Hold Important Meeting.

The Railroad Commission of Indiana and the interurban operators, in conference yesterday, reached an agreement concerning the use of the double order system, deferred to a later date consideration of the installation of block signals, and adjourned with no common understanding about what is to be done concerning the adoption of the one-year term of service for motormen and conductors.

The committee on the double order system made a complete report to the commission. It was adopted. It prescribes the manner of making reports to the dispatcher and is as follows:

To obtain orders the motorman or conductor, whichever is more convenient, will call the dispatcher and give his serial order blank number, which will be requested by the dispatcher, who will then give such order as are necessary. The one taking the order will take the same plainly, without abbreviating, with carbon copy, on the blank provided for the purpose. When he has finished writing the order he will repeat it to the dispatcher. If correct the dispatcher will O. K. the same. The one taking the order will then give his name to the dispatcher and at the same time sign the order. If correct the dispatcher will then give the initials of the superintendent or other designated authority and the train order number, which must be repeated back to the dispatcher by the one at the phone. If correct the dispatcher will say "complete at" (giving the time), which completes the order and places it in full force and effect. If for any reason the dispatcher does not complete the order it is of no effect and must be treated as if it had not been given. After the order is completed the motorman and conductor each will take a copy of the same.

Alexander Shane of the I. C. & S., was a member of the committee.

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PERSONAL.

N. M. Carlson was in Columbus today.

N. Spiers went to Indianapolis this morning.

Miss Mary Shuttles is visiting in Columbus.

E. C. Martindale, of Wilkinson, is in the city.

B. F. Clark was here from Jonesville this morning.

Miss Bertha Feagan went to Washington today for a visit.

E. E. Bollinger was in Indianapolis on business Thursday.

Thomas Hopewell went to Columbus this morning on business.

J. W. Preston transacted business at Columbus this forenoon.

Charles Huber of Cortland, was in the city on business today.

Ernest Etzler, of Salem, transacted business here Thursday evening.

Mrs. Iva L. Ruddick who resides in Vernon township, was here today.

Louis Kruwell of Jonesville, transacted business in Seymour today.

Mayor Allen Swope transacted business at Crothersville Thursday.

Ed. Nicholson and wife returned to Vallonia today from a visit at Frankfort.

Maurice Douglas, of Flatrock, transacted business here Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Richards, of Vallonia, were here a short time this morning.

C. H. Story left this morning for Beloit, Wisconsin, after a visit at O. D. Hunt's.

Mrs. Gertrude Pifer of Brownstown, returned today from a visit in Columbus.

Joe Goss, from near Brownstown, was here today for the institute and poultry show.

William Stewart and wife of Indianapolis, went to Medora today to visit at Medora.

Mrs. John Disney, Sr., went to Columbus this morning for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George McClintock, of Redding, were here today to attend the poultry show.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Laugel and children returned to their home in Joliet, Ill., this morning.

Ed Elsner and County Assessor Cross returned last night from Indianapolis where they attended the opening of the legislature.

Mrs. T. J. Tunley went to Modesto, Ill., Thursday evening having been called there on account of the death of her sister, Miss Olive Nevins.

Mrs. Henry Roeger of Seymour, and her sister, Mrs. Henry Buchman of Bloomfield, went to Vallonia this morning to visit Mrs. Humphrey.

F. H. Hadley attended the meeting of the executive committee of the Indiana and Western Ohio Poultry Association at Indianapolis Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Laugel, of Jeffersonville, returned home this morning after attending the funeral of the former's mother, Mrs. Susanna Laugel.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Burrell, of New Castle, Pa., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burrell, at Brownstown for several days, were here this morning on their way to Louisville.

James Whitson, Steve Enos, James M. Marsh, William Swengel, Henry Schleter, William Thoele and George W. Findley, were among the Jackson county farmers who were in the city today.

Edw. W. H. Breitfield, of Bloomington, Ill., who has been visiting his father, Gottlieb Breitfield, and other relatives for the past two weeks, left for home this morning after a very enjoyable visit here.

Trustees File Reports.

The trustees of the eleven townships of Jackson county have filed their annual reports with the county auditor, H. W. Wacker. The reports contain a statement of the expenditures and receipts.

Sam Rittenhouse has been at home much of the past week sick.

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MORE TROUBLE

Started By the Wiping Out of Flinn Township in Lawrence County.

The action of the commissioners of Lawrence county in wiping out Flinn township and dividing it among neighboring townships does not seem to have settled the troubles the township has caused for so long. In fact there seems a prospect of a long wangle, litigation and a muddled condition of affairs.

William C. Butler, trustee and his township advisory board, refused to recognize the right of the board of county commissioners to take the action they did. Butler and his advisers held their regular January meeting and transacted all the January business, as if the commissioners had not tried to take the township away from them.

Charles A. Greathouse, state superintendent of public instruction, was appealed to, to ascertain whether or not the commissioners had the power to cut up the township. He has passed the question on to Thomas M. Honan, attorney-general, in the following question:

"Can county commissioners dissolve a township and attach it to some other township or townships? In case such dissolution is consummated, what is the status of the trustee and the advisory board subsequent to such action on the part of the commissioners? When such defunct township is divided into three parts and these parts attached to three other townships, what disposition should be made of its funds and other property and whose duty would it be to attend to the proper distribution?"

Mr. Honan and assistants are laboring with the question this week.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Frank Day went to Mitchell today to accompany the remains of J. W. Pomeroy here.

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. will install officers this evening. After the installation lunch will be served.

An old fashioned quadrille dance will be given by the Austin Amusement Co. at that town this evening.

The condition of Mrs. Mary Forsythe, who has been suffering from a fractured hip, remains about the same.

J. W. Vanarsdal is in Mississippi and will probably take employment with a company that is preparing to build an electric line.

Albert Umphrey, whose right leg was amputated at the city hospital Wednesday, is improving and his condition is satisfactory.

The suite of office rooms over the First National Bank are being repapered. They will be occupied by Judge Oscar H. Montgomery.

John I. Walters, a farmer was struck by an I. C. & S. limited south of Franklin and seriously injured. He was driving across the track at the time.

George Craig, who has been confined at the city hospital on account of an injury to his left foot, is able to walk about some with the aid of crutches.

GERMS IN HER SYSTEM

Every Woman Should Read This Advice and the Generous Offer That Goes With It

The number of diseases peculiar to women is such that we believe this space would hardly contain a mere mention of their names, and it is a fact that most of these diseases are of a catarrhal nature. A woman cannot be well if there is a trace of catarrh in her system.

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Looks Like a Winner.

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Stars by Daylight.

It is worthy of remark that but for the brightness of the sky the stars could be seen in daylight. Even as matters stand some of the brighter of them have been seen after sunrise by explorers on high mountains, where the air is very clear and the sky dark blue. If we could go above the atmosphere the sky would appear perfectly black and stars would be visible right close up to the sun. Astronomers observe bright stars in daytime by using long focus telescopes, the dark tubes of which cut off the side light, and persons in the bottom of deep wells have noticed stars passing overhead, the side light being reduced by the great depths of the wells.

Frederick the Great's Joke.

Among the embellishments which Berlin owes to Frederick the Great the "new palace" is the most conspicuous. This magnificent building was erected, it is said, to show Frederick's enemies that his many wars had not exhausted his exchequer. And further to show his contempt for the countries which had sought to crush him at the top of the cupola he placed a group of three women dancing together, the figuring representing Catherine the Great, Maria Theresa and Mme. de Pompadour. The wrath of the two empresses was unbounded at finding themselves depicted in such an attitude and such company, so Frederick was able to congratulate himself on a thoroughly successful joke.

A Grim Deathbed Joke.

It was the 21st of April, 1821. Dr. I. P. Frank, the eminent governor of the University hospital, Vienna, lay on his deathbed and was expected every moment to pass away. Once more the eight leading medical men of the capital gathered round his couch. All at once the patient burst out laughing. "What is it that tickles your fancy?" his friends inquired.

"A story has just come into my mind," was the reply. "On the battlefield of Wagram lay a French soldier counting his wounds. 'Sacre bleu!' he exclaimed. 'It takes eight bullets to kill a French grenadier.' Gentlemen, there are eight of you too." Thus he spoke and expired in a fit of laughter.

Backache Means Dying Kidneys

A Remarkable Treatment That Saves the Kidneys. How You May Cure Yourself Quickly and Thoroughly.

With the progress of science comes one remarkable treatment for kidney diseases. It has been so thoroughly tested and its results have proven so revolutionary that a well-known firm in Michigan has undertaken its distribution into every part of the country. Those who suffer from kidney trouble and the diseases resulting from it will be pleased to know that every package of this treatment is thoroughly guaranteed. This should assure at last a positive cure to every sufferer.

Every man and woman should know that backache is usually a well-defined symptom of advancing kidney disease which may end fatally unless treated in time; that rheumatism and bladder trouble are caused from nothing more nor less than kidneys that do not filter the poison from the blood; that dropsy, Bright's disease, diabetes and bladder stones are caused by bad kidneys.

Once they are made to work properly, these diseases should quickly disappear. This is done by the new treatment, Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills.

We urge everyone who has pain in the small of the back, profuse or scanty urination, pains in the bladder, cloudy or foul urine, not to fail to get a package today of Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills, and drop all other kidney treatments. Senator Stevenson, of Washington, writes from Olympia: "There is no question about the efficacy of Dr. Derby's Pure Kidney Pills in curing kidney and bladder trouble. I know whereof I speak."

Dr. Derby's Kidney Pills are now sold at all drug stores—50 pills—10 days' treatment—25 cents, or direct from Derby Medicine Co., Easton Rapids, Mich. If you would like to try them first, ask your druggist for a sample package. Then buy a package; you will not regret it.

Will Rugby Style Oust Yankee Football Game?



FOOTBALL may become an international sport after all—that is, if the efforts of Alexander Knox, chairman of the New South Wales Rugby Football league, materialize. Contrary to the majority of Englishmen who want international football and merely ask the

abandonment of all prevailing and national styles for the Rugby game, Mr. Knox proposes an international congress which shall form a new code, embracing the best features of the different followings.

Even should Mr. Knox succeed in forming such a congress, with plenary powers, it would be a matter of months if not years before the different codes could be melded into anything resembling an easily comprehended yet skillful game. The original English Rugby has changed but



Photo by American Press Association.

HARVARD VERSUS WEST POINT

little since its codified formation some sixty years ago. On the other hand, one of its children, the American game, has been so pruned, elongated, stretched and compressed that few followers of the parent can see a resemblance in the offspring.

Then there is another wayward child in the form of Canadian Rugby, which embraced features of the American game together with the parent stem and produced a sport which differs from all others. Still again, the Australians have a football sport that can briefly be described as a hodgepodge of Rugby and the association or soccer games.

There is little question that the American rulers of football are in a more receptive mood for overtures at



ENGLAND VERSUS NEW ZEALAND.

this time than any other. The English Rugby game, while not threatening the reign of American football, is nevertheless making steady inroads in the United States and at a time when the American rules committee is wrangling over the improvement of the game. The Leland Stanford, Jr., and California universities have played the Rugby game for half a dozen years, first, because they were permitted to play no other, and now because they prefer it. There is talk of the University of Wisconsin making the Rugby game obligatory in 1912, and others are expected to follow suit.

Briefly, the differences between the American and English games lies in the legalized illegalities which have made the Yankee sport what it is. The basic change was the scrimmage, which, when Harvard adopted the game in 1876, was a sort of cumbersome shoving match until the ball escaped. The Americans reduced it to a businesslike snapping back of the ball, which saved time, but destroyed for all time the old significance of the forwards.

Then came the interference, which legalized a violation of the historic British offside rule and which drove the wedge of difference between the two games into an unbridgeable gap. Then when the game became so compact that injuries multiplied and public interest waned the forward pass, another legalized offside illegality, appeared.

JOSEPH G. ROBIN

New York Banker Who Is In Bad With the Authorities.



BANKER DENIES AGED COUPLE ARE PARENTS

Interesting Development in the Robin Case.

New York, Jan. 6.—Joseph G. Robin was taken from the Tombs to confront Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rabinovitch of Brooklyn, the aged Jewish couple who have said that they were the parents of the indicted banker. Robin admitted that he knew them, but denied that they were his parents. The only remark he addressed to either of them was when Mrs. Rabinovitch began to cry after saying that Robin was her son. He said: "What the hell are you trying to do?" Dr. Louise Rabinovitch, Robin's sister, also denied that Mr. and Mrs. Rabinovitch are his parents. She said it was possible she had met them before. The district attorney's object in the proceeding was to obtain evidence in connection with Dr. Louise Rabinovitch's affidavit, made when she applied to the supreme court to have her brother adjudged incompetent, that she and her brother, Edward L. Robinson, are Robin's only next of kin.

Robin told Mr. Whitman that he had not seen his parents since he was six years old, but believed they were living somewhere in Russia.

BOY SAVED BY DOG

An Illinois Collie Deserving a Carnegie Hero Medal.

Carlyle, Ill., Jan. 6.—Dr. A. M. Keith of Greenville owns a Scotch collie dog that is entitled to a Carnegie hero medal. Francis Cox, eight years old, was skating on a pond near the home of his parents when the ice broke and he fell into the water. His calls for help were answered by the collie. The dog ran to the bank of the pond, seemed to realize the peril of the boy, and plunged into the water. Taking hold of the back of young Cox's coat he towed him to a place where he could reach the bank. The owner of the dog refused to sell it to the father of the boy at a fancy price.

Returned to Prison.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 6.—Henry McDonald, who had been paroled from the Michigan City prison to see his wife, who is dying of consumption at Fontanet, was returned to prison after spending a few days at his home. McDonald killed Chief of Detectives Dwyer in the courtroom here and is serving a term for manslaughter.

The Duke of the Abruzzi has telegraphed his condolences to the family of Senator Elkins.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices for Grain and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock. Wheat—Wagon, 92c; No. 2 red, 95c. Corn—No. 2, 44½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 36c. Hay—Baled, \$15.50 @ 17.50; timothy, \$15.00 @ 18.00; mixed, \$12.50 @ 15.00. Cattle—\$4.00 @ 6.75. Hogs—\$6.00 @ 8.15. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 4.00. Lambs—\$4.00 @ 6.25. Receipts—9,500 hogs; 1,400 cattle; 700 sheep.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.00. Corn—No. 2, 45c. Oats—No. 2, 34c. Cattle—\$3.50 @ 6.25. Hogs—\$4.50 @ 8.30. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 3.75. Lambs—\$4.00 @ 5.85.

At Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 97½c. Corn—No. 2, 46¼c. Oats—No. 2, 32c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 7.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.25 @ 5.80. Hogs—\$5.50 @ 8.15. Sheep—\$3.25 @ 4.35. Lambs—\$4.25 @ 6.50.

At St. Louis.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.01. Corn—No. 2, 45c. Oats—No. 2, 32c. Cattle—Steers, \$3.25 @ 7.25. Hogs—\$6.75 @ 8.15. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 4.25. Lambs—\$5.50 @ 6.50.

At East Buffalo.

Cattle—\$4.25 @ 6.75. Hogs—\$6.00 @ 8.65. Sheep—\$2.75 @ 4.25. Lambs—\$5.00 @ 7.00.

Wheat at Toledo.

May, \$1.02½; July, 97½c; cash, 99c.

Dinner Pail and Lemon Won Seat In Congress



STURDY dentist, who made his campaign with a lemon, a tin pail and three feet of garden hose as his ammunition, will represent the Twenty-fifth New York district in congress in December, 1911. This man, Dr. Theron Akin, transformed a 6,106 Republican

majority into one of 254 for himself.

Until the Sixty-second congress convenes Dr. Akin will take care of the two offices he now occupies—justice of the peace and president of the village of Akin, near Amsterdam, in the Mohawk valley. Those jobs keep him tolerably busy, because he is the auto speed regulator of that section, and, as many motorists can testify, he regulates with success. His village platform is:

No grafting, a full day's work, complete obedience of the law, no tax dodging and your money's worth if you are a citizen.

Dentist Akin has a great dislike of bosses, and this dislike includes Colonel Roosevelt, and he made it the star plank of his brief platform, in which he described his policies as follows:

Poe of bosses, champion of direct primaries.

Beef, 25 cents a pound.

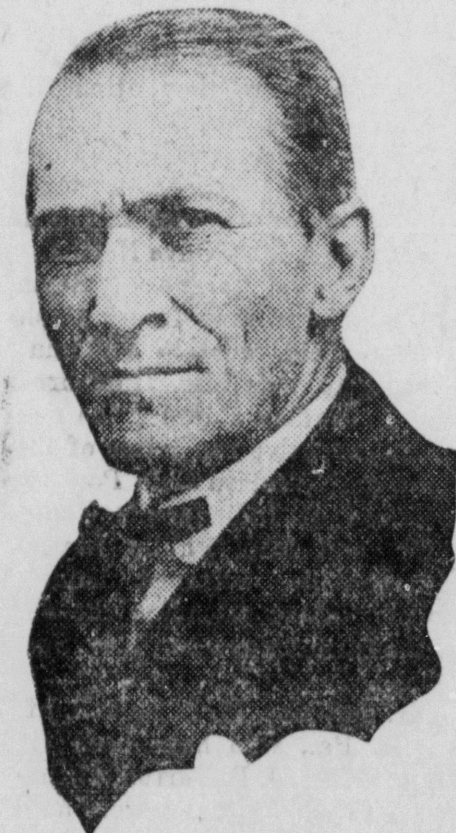
Liver, 14 cents a pound.

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Dr. Akin proved a great campaigner, as good as his ancestors who settled early in the Mohawk valley and fought off Indians. His quick wit, rugged, shrewd visage, piercing eyes, dry, humorous voice and popularity made him a foe hard to cope with, and with such aids as the hose, dinner pail and lemon he couldn't lose.

He suggested to a friend, who was something of an insurging Republican, though not necessarily an insurgent of the Kansas stripe, that he might be a good man to go to congress and beat Cy Drury, G. O. P. machine candidate. The idea was act-



DR. THERON AKIN.

ed upon, and "doc" was nominated by a progressive Republican convention, ditto Democratic and finally the Independence league.

He made his first speech in the Amsterdam Opera House, and though apparently embarrassed he won out with this talk:

"You men know I can't make a speech. I'm going to talk to you. Teddy Roosevelt has been going up and down telling you what the issues of this campaign are—not. He made a lot of fuss six years ago about the full dinner pail. You heard a lot about it in 1908. Now, Teddy has just gone through here making a lot of noise without saying anything. I was near his choo-choo car the other day, and when he had gone I picked this up along the track. He had dropped it."

The "doc" leaned over behind the table and brought to light a battered tin dinner pail.

On the side of it was printed in white letters, "1910."

"Now," drawled the doctor, "we'll see what the full dinner pail of 1908 contains in 1910."

Pulling off the cover, he produced a big juicy lemon.

"That's where you come in," he said. But that was as far as he got. The audience saw the point, and the lemon was launched as the campaign issue.

The hose issue was brought out a few years previously when a railroad and a trolley line thought they would cross the Akin land without asking. The "doc" permitted the rail laying and all improvements up to the running of the first trains. Then he blocked the way with a motorcar and three feet of garden hose. The latter he used to beat the division superintendent over the head with when physical arguments were tried, and it ended the debate. Later both roads settled the bill and now pass unmolested.

On his house to house canvass Akin used the lemon and dinner pail and hose as his arguments and carried all three with him as evidence.

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The scarf occupies a very important position in the outfit and when the purse can afford it the possession of several is to be desired. A black satin scarf lined with white satin is one of the smartest of them all and has the advantage of suitability for any costume. Worn with a black hat the black and white effect gives distinction to a costume of a different color.

Now that Winter is here, of course fur will play an active part in the trimming of scarfs, and velvet will enter into their make-up. Indeed, quite a rich set may be made of black velvet with a trimming of gray fox like the one in the upper illustration which has the large barrel muff to match, entirely of fur.

The black satin scarf in the drawing, PICTORIAL REVIEW PATTERN No. 3733 shows how very simple they are and how one of that kind is worn. Sometimes they are wrapped more closely around the neck, or again carelessly wound around the arms. Satin charmeuse is a material often used, and white satin lining may extend even with the outside edges. On pretty finish, however, is made by having the white lining wide enough to turn over on the outside and form a white hem an inch and a quarter wide. This feature is a detail of finish depending on the taste of the maker.

Three yards long and eighteen inches wide are the measurements of the black satin scarf. Some women who are not very tall prefer theirs two and a half yards long. This oblong shape has a satin lining of the same measurement, with the ends closely drawn up by several rows of shirring and finished with a heavy black silk tassel.

A delightfully shimmering and iridescent effect is produced by several layers of chiffon of different tones, together, such as gold, delicate blue, and perhaps a pea green. With a border of ermine or swansdown it is irresistible.

For the scarf intended for warmth, it is better to have an interlining of flannel or a similar fabric, being careful that whatever is used for this purpose is soft and pliant.

If one tires of the straight scarf it can be draped in the back very gracefully by shirring the edges together in the center for a short distance, just enough for it to hang to or a little below the waist. This is easily done with satin messaline or liberty, which are very soft, and the fur edge should be carried along the shirring.

The scarf of velvet and fur, PICTORIAL REVIEW PATTERN No. 3733 is shaped quite differently, having a deep point in the back, the front sloping away into long pointed ends. The center section of velvet is inserted; it does not extend under the fur. Of course, any combination of fur, velvet or satin may be used, and the large barrel muff that accompanies it may have a wide strip of the contrasting material in the center if preferred. This scarf is also three yards long but the quantity of fur cannot be given as skins vary in size.

Each of the two sets illustrated consists of a scarf and muff, and the price for each set, including cutting and construction guides is 10 cents. They are made in one size only.



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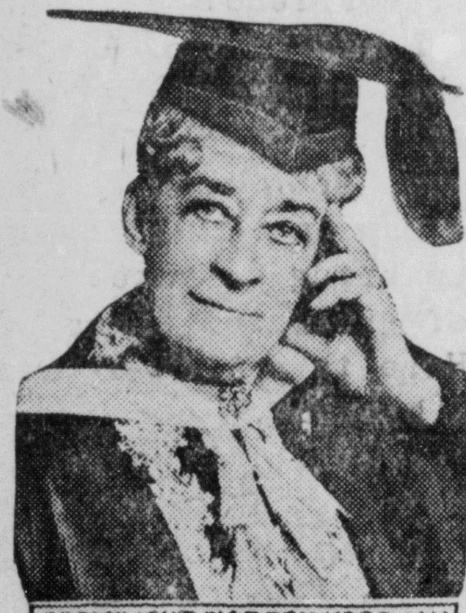


MILWAUKEE has been in the public eye much of late. First it elected a Socialist mayor, then a Socialist congressman, Victor L. Berger, and now its various Socialist officials have given a municipal ball, at which society folk and working people of both sexes met and danced as equals. Moreover, this was one ball at which there were no wallflowers. The floor manager saw to that as official "introducer."

It astonished even Mayor Emil Seidel to note the society people who attended and danced with the workers. Fashionable men appeared in evening clothes, but Seidel intends these adornments shall be left home next time, as well as décolleté gowns and new hats. As it was, the costuming was moderate, and the silks and gingham mingled in democratic manner.

"I think these gatherings have something about them that will make for the betterment of the city," said the mayor. "You know when we read about each other in the papers or hear each other talked about we sometimes think that the other fellows are awful fellows. But when we look into each other's eyes, as we did that night, we find that the other fellows are not so bad after all."

Mrs. Russell Sage has announced her plans for the disbursement of several more millions of dollars in aid of humanity in a model home colony on Long Island called the Forest Hills Gardens foundation. This is expected to go far in solving the problems



MRS. RUSSELL SAGE.

of the small salaried middle class families who must live near a large city and yet cannot afford to live in it with comfort.

The Forest Hills foundation consists of 142 acres beyond Jamaica and thirteen minutes by railroad and tube into New York and is expected to furnish homes for 1,500 families. It is not to be a charitable venture, for the tenants will meet rentals of from \$25 a month upward toward paying off principal and interest and owning a fine home in the end.

More than \$2,250,000 has already been expended on the project by Mrs. Sage, and more than twice that amount is to be put into the upbuilding of the colony. Next will come a similar plan for laboring classes on less costly land.

One of the features will be a specially constructed railroad station at the entrance to the property. At the entrance will be a broad public square, with ornamental structures, in which will be the business offices, stores and shops, with nonhousekeeping apartments and single rooms on the upper floors. Back of the square will be the village green, two and a half acres. Bridges will connect the railroad station and the apartment houses, so that commuters may enter and leave trains without exposure in stormy weather.

James J. Hill, railroad and empire builder, has turned pessimist, and all because of the extravagance not alone of the American people, but of the entire world. While the result will be the loss of money and the throwing out of work of many thousands, Mr. Hill does not believe it will result in a financial panic and thinks the experience will be worked out by events.

"Extravagance has been our great fault," he said. "We have been wasting entirely too much in nonproductive undertakings. As a rule, we have been given too much to adornments. We have become obsessed with 'the city beautiful' in municipal affairs. We have followed like policies in the state and national governments."

In the Limelight

Gossip of Persons In the
Dispatches

ENGLISH nobility has a "bread and butter peeress," though the title will not be found in Burke or Debrett. The person so entitled is the Viscountess of Helmsley, daughter of the Countess of Warwick, who is known as a Socialist of pronounced tendencies. Though wealthy she prefers a simple outdoor life for herself and her children, which view is shared by her husband; hence the nickname.

The viscountess prefers a sunbonnet and print frock to silks and satins, yet she knows the latter as well, having appeared frequently at court. She is now twenty-six years of age and is the mother of two children. The viscount is heir of the first Earl of Feverham, and their home is at Nawton Towers, in Yorkshire.



VISCOUNTESS OF HELMSLEY.

The "bread and butter peeress" is a beauty and the daughter of a beauty and was educated in the public schools near Warwick castle, being sent to a Parisian finishing school on completing the high school course at home. This was one of the democratic ideas of the Countess of Warwick that aroused much comment among her relatives and friends, but she insisted that she wanted her children to know life as it really is and not as presented in one little circle.

It falls to the lot of but few men to be told they can name their own salary under certain conditions, and fewer still can fill these conditions. But the case of a man in such circumstances offering to fulfill the stipulations without accepting a cent is without precedent. Yet such a case is presented by Louis D. Brandeis of Boston, who represented Glavis in the Ballinger congressional hearing and who now urges the claims of eastern shippers against the railroads before the interstate commerce commission.

Mr. Brandeis recently asserted before the commission that the railroads through inefficient management wasted \$1,000,000 a day. This was answered by four western railway presidents in a telegram which said, "If you can point out a practical way by which a substantial portion of \$1,000,000 daily may be saved several western railways



LOUIS D. BRANDEIS.

would be pleased to tender you employment, allowing you to name your own salary."

That might appear a facer to most people, for the statement appeared rather general in character. But Mr. Brandeis is still at bat and replied that he believed that scientific management would accomplish the tremendous saving and suggested a conference of all railway presidents. He then added that he would not accept any salary for his services. Free legal work in the public interest is his hobby.

In speaking of novelties the demand of Mayor P. H. McCarthy of San Francisco that a grand jury sift charges that he had accepted bribes of \$60,000 and \$10,000 should certainly be reckoned. Such charges have frequently been matters of grand jury investigations in the metropolises of the Pacific coast, but never before at the request of the accused. However, Mayor McCarthy is in no danger, as the grand jury has declined to probe in the absence of specific charges.

The mayor charged that certain business men, whom he named, had spread stories of his having accepted bribes and asserted that he had been waited upon by a trinity of newspaper editors, shown the proofs of his guilt and forced to beg for mercy, promising his resignation at the conclusion of the fight for the Panama-Pacific exposition.



P. H. MCCARTHY.

GERMAN CENSUS QUIZ PUZZLING

Searching Questions Perplex
Dutiful Subjects of Kaiser.

TOTAL MAY BE 65,000,000.

Population of 208,000,000 in 2135 Is Estimate of One Economist—American Increase Twice as Great Annually, According to Present Figures of Two Nations.

Germany is in the throes of a census and when it is over the fatherland expects to wake up and find itself the possessor of 65,000,000 souls, or a gain of 4,500,000 since 1905. The German population experts are deeply impressed by the announcement that the United States has over 90,000,000 inhabitants. The American rate of increase during the last ten years is double the rate at which Germany is growing.

The census of Germany is not taken by official question askers, as in the United States, but by means of a series of intricate blanks which every household in the country is obliged to fill out. Millions of otherwise intelligent Germans spent many days wrestling with the mysteries of the census forms.

Some of Questions Searching. These are some of the searching questions which the kaiser's perplexed subjects had to answer:

If you don't know the exact date of your birth how many full years old are you?
What's your main occupation in life?
Were your babies nursed on their mother's breast or by wet nurses or from a bottle?
Are you subject to epileptic fits?
How many of your house windows look out on the street?
What was your mother tongue—German, Dutch, Friesian, Danish, Wallonian, Polish or Lithuanian?
What are the names of the various rooms in your dwelling?
What is the religion of your servants?
How many bathrooms have you?
Do you cook with gas or other fuel?
What rent do you pay?

Sees 150,000,000 by 1980.

German economists cherish ambitious hopes for the future of Germany's population. One authority says there will be 150,000,000 by 1980. Another expert, Professor von Schmoller of the University of Berlin, peers into the distant future as far as 2135, when he sees a vision of 208,000,000. "Such increase," he writes, "should, will and must come if we wish to remain a great and powerful nation, but we must have fruitful colonies abroad to take care of the surplus."

X RAYS CURING DEAFNESS.

London Physician Makes Important
Discovery by Accident.

Mere chance has led to the discovery that certain forms of deafness can be cured by the marvelous power of the X rays. A fashionable specialist of London who treats poor people for small fees on certain days was visited not long ago by a patient who was suffering from facial neuritis and a bad ulcer on the tongue. These the doctor treated with the X rays, and the man rapidly improved.

Recently he began to complain that he could not sleep. He lived in a very noisy neighborhood, but as he had been deaf for the last thirty-six years as the result of a fall the street noises never bothered him.

The specialist investigated the case and found that there could be no doubt that the X rays had cured this man's deafness. He followed it up by an equally successful cure of a working girl who had become deaf after scarlet fever and of another young woman who was made deaf by the explosion of a gas stove.

In nonscientific language the X rays seem to act on the artificial tissues that in growing fibrously in the ear cause the deafness. The X rays break these down and at the same time stimulate the minute ends of the tiny nerves, make them grow out again, and so they return to the parts of the ear which convey the sound vibrations to the brain.

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Can a Projected Route to The South Pole Be Stolen?



THE south pole bids fair to be as great a bone of contention as was its northern opposite by reason of the worldwide controversy between Peary and Cook—not in the same way, however, but because three expeditions will be striving for the southern honors, and one of them may be accused of stealing the route of another.

This brings an interesting question into the field of debate. Can a projected route to the south pole be stolen? Heretofore there never has been a large enough field of contestants in a polar dash to arouse any such contention as to routes. Now it is different, and the American expedition is practically accused of seizing a German route, the acquirer being an Englishman at present foremost among antarctic explorers.

Apparently the field for the antarctic Derby has simmered down to three ac-

raising in Australia and ranching in Arizona. He accompanied the successful Peary expedition to the frozen north, but did not continue on the polar quest, as he desired to do some game shooting. It was on this expedition that he became mixed up in the Peary-Cook controversy by meeting the Brooklyn explorer at Etan, Greenland. Cook, it will be remembered, claimed he had left his records in charge of Whitney, who was to bring them to America.

Whitney has visited the arctic four times, his most recent call being a hunting trip during the summer of 1910 in company with Paul J. Rainey, the young Cleveland millionaire, and Captain Bartlett.

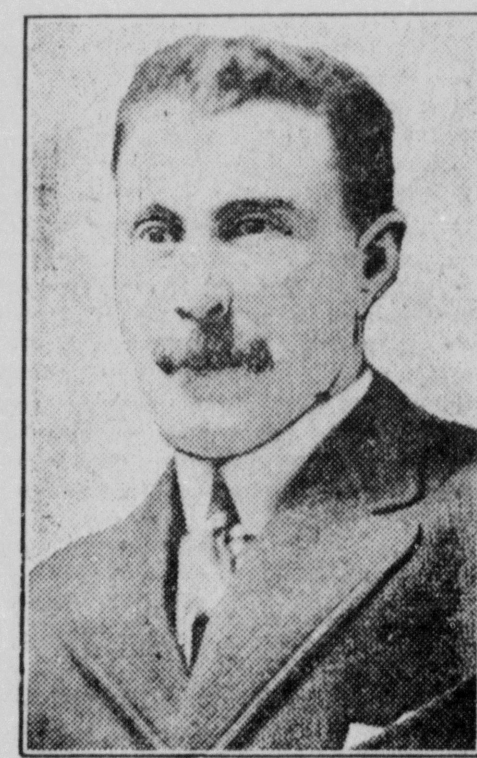
Bartlett, who is thirty-five, comes of a family of seafarers. He is a native of Newfoundland and is a college man destined for business, but who could not get the smell of salt out of his nostrils. He shipped before the mast and rose until he got his captain's certificate. He first went north with Peary in 1898, again in 1905 and then on the famous trip when the pole was found.

These two have already picked out their ship—an old Newfoundland whaler—and have laid out their route. Because of Scott having selected the Shackleton route from New Zealand they decided to try for the pole from the other side. So if they have crossed the German plans it is likely they will map another assault.

They expect to sail from New York in September, 1911, for Punta Arenas, Chile, the southernmost port in South America. From there they will try to reach Coats Land, in the antarctic, before navigation closes in February. This land was discovered in 1904 by the Scotch expedition under Bruce, but no landing was made, so it is still terra incognita. If possible, a landing will be made and the polar dash begun. This will be a distance of 800 miles, a longer distance than Shackleton had to sledge. If a suitable anchorage is found the ship will lie there all winter; otherwise it will return to South America and then pick up the explorers the following year.

The relaying system of sledging—such as used by Peary in his successful quest—will be used, and arctic dogs will draw the sledges and not ponies, as in Shackleton's case. Both Whitney and Bartlett consider ponies too heavy, often breaking through crust.

The explorers in the south pole region have one advantage over those



Capt. R. A. Bartlett.

who frequent the other end of the earth—they do not face the treacherous leads of floating ice which appear solid. In the south every step that is advanced really counts.

The British expedition has a long lead over its competitors. Captain Scott left Cardiff, Wales, June 15, 1910, in an old Dundee whaler, the Terra Nova. He expects to start his dash from antarctic land early in 1911 and hopes to reach the pole by Christmas, returning to civilization the following spring. He expects to have a series of depots erected south of the great ice barriers, as they have supplies sufficient for three years. It is on this expedition that the motor sledge will be tried. Scott was with Shackleton and saw the possibilities of the automobile mounted on runners, which was good, but not enough for all needs.

The German expedition under Lieutenant Filchner has been thoroughly financed and outfitted and expects to leave for the southern seas in the summer of 1911. They will seek a landing on the Weddell sea, the point aimed at by Whitney and Bartlett.

The Japanese ship, the starting of which appears dubious, according to advices from Tokyo, is only about 150 tons burden, and the food supplies are to be limited to rice and dried cuttlefish. Then there is a Norwegian expedition projected, so if all start there will be five in the race.

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Pompeii.

Pompeii was overwhelmed on the night of Aug. 24, 79 A. D. The principal citizens were then assembled, it appears, in an amphitheater where public spectacles were in progress. After a lapse of fifteen centuries a countryman, as he was turning up the ground on the farm where he was employed, found a bronze figure, which discovery led to further search, in the course of which numerous other objects were brought to light, and thus, at length, was the whole city uncovered.

Escaped with His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough I had looked like it sure enough. I tried everything I could hear of for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." It's positively guaranteed for coughs, colds and all bronchial affections. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free at Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

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The Turbine.

The first steam turbine fitted vessel, the Turbinia, was constructed by the Hon. C. A. Parsons at his works at Newcastle-on-Tyne. The Turbinia was a small vessel, some 100 feet in length, and her first trip was made Nov. 4, 1894.

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From Rev. H. Stubenvoll, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills. "They're such a health necessity, in every home these pills should be. If other kinds you've tried in vain, USE DR. KING'S And be well again." Only 25c at Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

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HARRY WHITNEY.

Five contestants—Captain Robert Falcon Scott for England, Captain Robert A. Bartlett and Harry Whitney for America and a German expedition commanded by Lieutenant Filchner. There is a Japanese party talked of, but as the mikado's representatives have not yet started and the equipment is likely to be insufficient it is not reckoned as dangerous by scientists.

At present the situation is like this: Captain Scott has started, leaving New Zealand and following Lieutenant Ernest H. Shackleton's route. The Germans will start during the summer and the Americans about fall and both from South America and using the same starting point on antarctic shores. Lieutenant Shackleton on hearing the American plans criticised them for adopting the same route as Lieutenant Filchner had selected, and if international courtesy is really respected in such matters and the laws of sportsmanship demand such action Bartlett and Whitney are likely to change their tentative itinerary.

The Americans have a number of plans in mind for their trip which will embrace some features not used by Shackleton when he came within 111 miles of the south pole, but which were found invaluable in Peary's conquest of the northern goal.

Both Whitney and Bartlett are known not only to the world of ex-



MOTOR SLEDGE IN ANTARCTIC TRAVEL.

ploration, but to the world in general, because of their prominence in polar work for many years. Whitney is now about thirty-eight years of age and, although wealthy in his own right, has devoted most of his life to big game shooting and such adventurous experiences. He lives in New Haven when at home, which is seldom, and has engaged in copper manufacturing, sheep

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A Disposition To Expedite As-
sembly's Affairs

BRIEF SESSION HELD TODAY

The Legislative Appropriation Bill Was
Put on the Ways, It Being Necessary
to Push This Through as a Means of
Providing For Expenses of the Ses-
sion—Job Hunters Disappointed, Ap-
pointments Not Being Announced.

Indianapolis, Jan. 6.—In both houses
of the general assembly today there
were brief sessions, the various
committees not yet being in a position
to set in motion all parts of the some-
what complicated legislative machin-
ery. The chief business of the day
was the introduction of the legislative
appropriation bill, carrying something
over \$100,000. This bill is always
pushed to completion early in the ses-
sion, as upon it depends the money for
carrying on the expenses of the assem-
bly.

Meanwhile the job hunters, who
thronged the corridors and the space
about the railings in the two houses,
will be compelled to wait until Mon-
day for the official announcement of
appointments.

There seems to be a disposition on
the part of both houses to expedite
business as much as possible and to
cut out many nonessentials which
only serve to cumber the affairs of the
assembly with the result that the
closing days of the session are usually
crowded to the point of confusion.
With his last session's experience,
Lieutenant Governor Hall promises to
make a vigorous president of the sen-
ate, while Speaker Veneman seems to
be competent to push things in the
house. In accepting the gavel yester-
day the speaker referred to the fact
that he had been a great many years
since the legislative and executive de-
partments of government had been in-
trusted at one and the same time to
the Democratic party, and said, amid
cheers, that he believed that it was
very largely due to the favor in which
Governor Thomas R. Marshall was
held by the people of the state that
such trust had been conveyed.

Speaker's Province Not to Dictate.

He said it was the duty of the legis-
lators in both houses to give the peo-
ple what they evidently, by their
votes, desired, the full measure of ben-
efit from the administration of the
governor in whom they found the
mainpring of trust in the party. He
said he did not believe it to be the
province of the speaker to dictate or
control what legislation should be con-
sidered, but to receive and direct such
proposed legislation as is advanced.
He greeted the minority and prom-
ised them that they would receive as
fair treatment at his hands as if they
were sitting on the other side, and as-
sured them his co-operation in the ad-
vancement of all good and needed leg-
islation.

The governor's message received
close attention, particularly when he
took up some of the leading issues
that are to come before the session.
He mentioned county option and told
the legislators to stick to the party
platform principles on this and other
questions. A considerable part of his
message was taken up with sugges-
tions as to changes in the corporation
laws of the state and recommendations
were given on many other sub-
jects. Many of the points raised by
the governor have attracted much
comment and have evidently "soaked
in." For instance:

"If personal interest be permitted to
thwart the public will you will be just-
ly condemned."

"If log rolling and swapping of votes
be allowed to pass pet measures you
will be charged very justly as being
spoilsmen, rather than legislators."

"If you are wise you will avoid the
appearance of evil."

"By way of warning let me suggest
that your constitutional immunity
from arrest does not mean that bribery
shall go unpunished."

"Beware of the man who wishes to
show you a good time the day after he
has been introduced to you. He has
an ax to grind and he intends to chop
his own wood with it."

"I prefer a few reforms which dis-
close your deliberate judgment than a
large number of crude and undigested
statutory enactments."

"The unit of reform or regeneration
is the individual man. This reform or
regeneration to be permanent must be
accomplished through the workings of
a higher law than any state can enact."

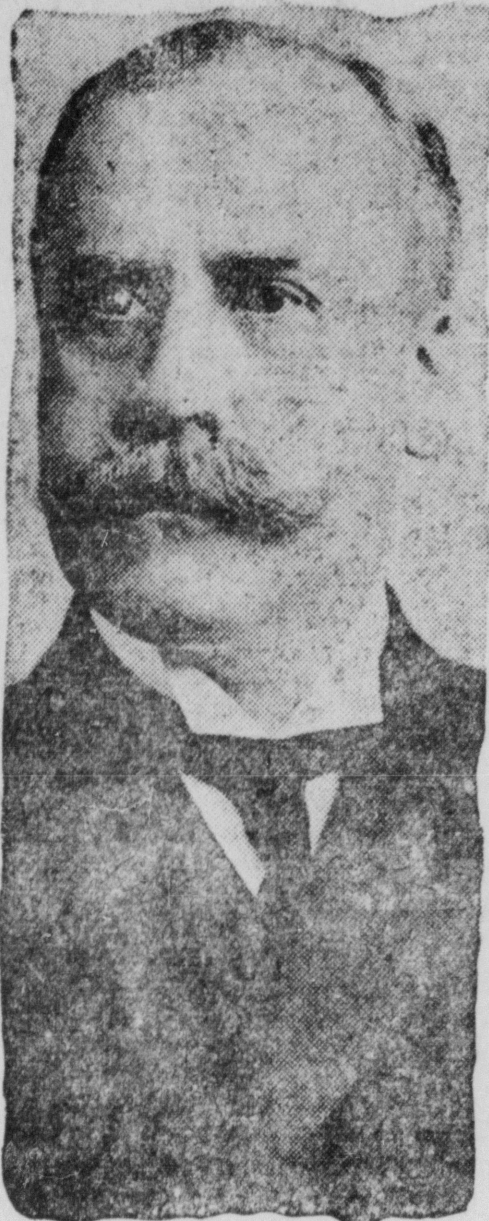
"Therefore, when the state has pre-
served to its citizenship the right of
local self-government upon the ques-
tion of the sale of intoxicating liquor,
its only other duty to its citizens is to
strictly regulate the liquor traffic, and
it has not faithfully discharged its
duty until it has done so."

"Justice to the public warrants me
in saying that just now we should give
the people a chance to lift some of
these local burdens from their should-
ers before we increase state taxa-
tion."

"A people is not wise which mort-
gages posterity for present luxury."
"New boards and commissions
should be shunned and the strictest
economy should be practiced."

F. W. PLAISTED

First Democratic Governor of
Maine Since His Father's Day.



Augusta, Me., Jan. 6.—Frederick W.
Plaisted of this city, just inaugurated
governor of Maine, is the first Demo-
crat to hold the office in thirty years,
or since the completion of the term of
his father, the late General Harris M.
Plaisted.

**GREAT LEGAL BATTLE
IS NOW BEING WAGED**

Supreme Court Hearing Argu-
ments In Trust Cases

Washington, Jan. 6.—With the case
against the American Tobacco com-
pany, arguments in the supreme court
on the great anti-trust cases broug-
t by the government under the Sherman
law, were begun this afternoon. Fol-
lowing the Tobacco case, which will
last some days, arguments in the Stan-
dard Oil, the pure food and the cor-
poration tax cases will be heard.

The attorney general and his assist-
ants, the solicitor general and special
counsel will conduct the cases for the
government, while some of the most
eminent lawyers in the country will
argue on behalf of the corporations in-
volved. On the outcome of these anti-
trust cases will depend in a large
measure the vitality of the Sherman
anti-trust law. They will have a far-
reaching effect upon business. The
cases were argued last spring, but
were restored to the docket for re-
argument before a full court after the
death of Justice Brewer.

The principal points to be decided in
these cases hang largely upon the in-
terpretation of what is "commerce";
what is "restraint" of trade or com-
merce; and what is the meaning of the
words "to monopolize," as used in the
Sherman anti-trust law.

The suit against the tobacco trust
involves corporations representing as-
sets worth more than \$400,000,000.
The lower court found that the corpo-
rations in the so-called trust had en-
tered into a combination in restraint
of trade.

WILL SKIP CROP

No Planting to Be Done This Year by
Independent Tobacco Growers.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 6.—At a meet-
ing of the independent association of
white burley tobacco growers of Ken-
tucky and adjoining states it was de-
cided by vote that no crop be raised
in 1911. This association is independ-
ent of the Burley Tobacco Society, of
which Clarence Lebus is president and
which has a large part of the 1909 crop
pooled. The Burley society has as yet
taken no action toward cutting out
the 1911 crop. It will control about 45
per cent of the white burley, while the
remainder will be pooled by the organ-
ization just organized.

Clothing Caught Fire.

Knightstown, Ind., Jan. 6.—When
Frank Laster returned to his home
after an absence of three-quarters of
an hour, he found the interior of the
house in flames. He thought of his
aged mother, who was alone in the
house, and rushed in and stumbled
over her dead body near the door. It
is thought her clothing caught fire
while she was working about the stove.

To Provide Special Levy.

Indianapolis, Jan. 6.—The board of
directors of the Commercial club has
approved the bill drafted by the city
board of health providing for a tax
levy ranging from 10 cents to 15 cents
on the hundred dollars, to create a
fund for carrying on work of the
health board.

**POMERENE HAD
EXACT NUMBER**

No Votes to Spare In Getting
Senatorial Plum.

WON OUT ON THE FIRST BALLOT

Though the Eleven Candidates in the
Field Against Him Had Freely Pre-
dicted He Could Not Win, Canton
Lawyer Ripped Away With Ohio
Senatorial Nomination, Showing
Just the Required 45 Votes.

Columbus, O., Jan. 6.—To succeed
Charles Dick, Atlee Pomerene of Can-
ton, attorney at law and lieutenant
governor-elect, was nominated for the
United States senate by the joint
Democratic caucus of the Ohio legis-
lature. The election will be made
complete next Wednesday. Pomerene
received forty-five votes, the exact
number required for the nomination.
There is a probability that the forty-
five represented his maximum
strength. Eleven candidates in the
field against him had freely predicted
that he could not win, although they
admitted he would easily lead on the
first ballot. E. W. Hanley of Dayton,
connected with several gas corpora-
tions, was Pomerene's leading competi-
tor. He received only ten votes. This
is probably accounted for by the un-
expectedly large field of candidates.
Their entry is said to have been en-
couraged by the Hanley men in order
to prevent Pomerene getting enough
to win on the first ballot. Votes re-
ceived by others were: J. J. Lentz of
Columbus, 3; J. E. Campbell of Col-
umbus, 4; W. S. Thomas of Spring-
field, 1; T. T. Ansberry of Defiance, 5;
M. A. Daugherty of Lancaster, 5;
James Kilbourne of Columbus, 3; D.
D. Donovan of Napoleon, 4; O. H.
Hughes of Hillsboro, 2; T. E. Powell
of Columbus, 1; C. C. Anderson of
Fostoria, 5.

The selection of Pomerene was
largely brought about by the action of
the Cuyahoga delegation in entering
the caucus, although a few weeks ago
it was announced they would not.
Pomerene addressed the legislators af-
ter the caucus and declared that had
he not believed the people preferred
him above other candidates, he would
not accept. His term as senator be-
gins March 4.

HAS HAD ENOUGH

Leslie Combs Wants to Return to His
Old Kentucky Home.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Leslie Combs
has tendered his resignation as min-
ister to Peru. For some time Mr.
Combs has desired to relinquish his
post and return to his home in Ken-
tucky. His resignation has been ac-
cepted, and will take effect upon the
qualification of his successor, which
probably will be late in April. Mr.
Combs has been in the diplomatic ser-
vice since 1902, when he was appoint-
ed minister to Guatemala and Hon-
duras. Four years later he was trans-
ferred to the post at Peru.

MYSTERIOUS ATTACK

Bedford Telephone Operator Shot at
by Strange Man.

Bedford, Ind., Jan. 6.—A man whose
identity is unknown attacked Miss
Grace Ard, a young woman employed
as an operator at the Central Union
telephone office, as she was on her
way home. When she escaped him he
shot several times at her, and the
noise of the shooting drew nearby re-
sidents to her aid. Two weeks ago
Miss Ard was attacked, probably by
the same man, as she was passing a
dark alley, but she managed to break
loose. She screamed as she ran, and
the man did not pursue her.

Postal Banks Make a Hit.

Princeton, Ind., Jan. 6.—The Prince-
ton postal savings bank is doing a nice
business, the clerk being kept busy
caring for depositors, while many
school children and women are buying
the savings cards and stamps. That
the new institution will be a success
there is now scarcely a doubt. A num-
ber of farmers were among the de-
positors.

Keeps New Governor Out.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 6.—The dead-
lock in the Tennessee legislature con-
tinues and no business is being trans-
acted by either house. As long as the
deadlock continues Ben W. Hooper,
governor-elect, cannot be sworn in and
Governor Patterson continues in office.

Headache Tablets Kill.

Washington, Ind., Jan. 6.—Mrs.
Clara Kemball, aged forty, took head-
ache tablets at short intervals until
she had taken five, then she became
unconscious and death resulted in a
short time.

Killed by Streetcar.

Indianapolis, Jan. 6.—Joseph E.
Kerr of Lafayette is dead at the city
hospital from injuries he received by
being struck by a work car belonging
to the streetcar company.

River Navigation Menaced.

Jeffersonville, Ind., Jan. 6.—The
Ohio river here is rising rapidly. It is
full of heavy, floating ice, which is
menacing navigation.

ATLEE POMERENE

Will Represent Ohio in
United States Senate.

**TRUE BILLS AGAINST
ALLEGED DYNAMITERS**

Twenty-Two Accused of Blowing
Up Los Angeles Times.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 6.—Twenty-
two indictments have been returned
by the grand jury in connection with
the Los Angeles Times explosion in
October, but the names have not been
made public. All indictments charge
murder or a connection with the crime
that caused the death of twenty-one
employees of the Times. It is under-
stood that the men who bought dynamite
in San Francisco, as well as a num-
ber of Frisco labor leaders who came
here and incited the local unions to
engage in a general strike are among
those indicted. The grand jury was
instructed by the presiding judge to
investigate dynamiting of the Llew-
ellyn Iron works on Dec. 25.

Wickersham Is Confident.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Attorney General
Wickersham, who is directing every
move in the case against the National
Packing company, usually known as
the beef trust, is confident that the
government will be able to convict the
big men now under indictment and
that prison sentences will be imposed
and enforced.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Fifteen persons were killed and forty-
or fifty others were injured in the
wreck of a passenger train near Nath-
cart, Cape Colony.

Two masked bandits entered the of-
fice of the Angelus hotel at El Paso,
Tex., and robbed the safe of about
\$5,000 in cash and jewelry.

Anna Stadelmyer pleaded guilty in
the county court at Buffalo to killing
her one-day-old baby by stuffing its
mouth and throat full of cinders.

Robert P. Bass, thirty-seven years
of age, the youngest executive the
state has ever had, has been inaugu-
rated governor of New Hampshire.

Cardinal Francesco Segna, prefect
of the congregation of the index ex-
purgatorius, is dead at Rome. He was
born in 1836 and created a cardinal in
1894.

Secretary of War Dickinson asks
that an appropriation of \$750,000 be
made available for the equipment of
state militia organizations with field
artillery.

King Alfonso has sailed for Melilla
on the royal yacht Giralos. He was
accompanied by a large retinue, in-
cluding Prime Minister Canalejas and
the minister of war.

Gallagher, the man who shot and
seriously wounded Mayor Gaynor of
New York, has been sentenced to
twelve years' imprisonment at hard
labor in the state prison.

Mrs. Nelson Swanson of Virginia,
Minn., killed herself and her two small
boys, aged nine and eight. The wom-
an's act is believed to have been in-
duced by brooding over going to a hos-
pital for an operation.

A resolution proposing a constitu-
tional amendment providing for the
election of United States senators by
direct vote of the people has been in-
troduced in the house by Representa-
tive Hawley of Oregon.

The secretary of war asks for an
appropriation of \$1,750,000 to enable
the government to relocate the line of
the railroad crossing the Isthmus of
Panama, which has been put of com-
mission by the slides incident to the
work on the Culebra cut.

**Often The Kidneys Are
Weakened by Over-Work.**

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are re-
sponsible for much sickness and suffering,
therefore, if kidney
trouble is permitted to
continue, serious re-
sults are most likely
to follow. Your other
organs may need at-
tention, but your kid-
neys most, because
they do most—and
should have attention
first. Therefore, when
your kidneys are weak or out of order,
you can understand how quickly your en-
tire body is affected and how every organ
seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin
taking the great kidney remedy, Dr.
Kilmer's Swamp-Root. A trial will con-
vince you of its great merit.

The mild and immediate effect of
Swamp-Root, the great kidney and
bladder remedy, is soon realized. It
stands the highest because its remarkable
health restoring properties have been
proven in thousands of the most distress-
ing cases. If you need a medicine you
should have the best. Sold by druggists in
fifty-cent and one-dol-
lar sizes. You may
have a sample bottle
by mail free, also a
pamphlet telling you
how to find out if you have kidney or
bladder trouble. Mention this paper
when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co.,
Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mis-
take, but remember the name, Swamp-
Root, and don't let a dealer sell you
something in place of Swamp-Root—if
you do you will be disappointed.



Jan. 4, 1911.

Dear Friend:

I had to shovel snow
this morning. We had
an old shovel, but I
went down town to get
a new one. Mama made
me bring a basket full
of groceries along.
Here is a list of what
I brought.

1 can of Kipperd
Herring, 20c.
1 can of Vegetable
Soup, 10c.
1 can of sliced Pine-
apple, 25c.
1 can of Kairo white
syrup, 15c.

Your Friend,

JACOB.

P. S. I bought such
good things that Mama
gave me three pennies,
that is because I went
to

**BRAND'S
SHOES**

The successful manu-
facturer of shoes is very jeal-
ous of his reputation. For
it takes years of effort, im-
mense capital and a very large
out put to spell success.
Permanent success can be at-
tained only by producing re-
liable goods at a small margin
of profit, relying on a volume
of out put for dividends.

The volume idea has been
carried to such a point that
there is one concern at least.

RICE & HUTCHINS

that has a capacity of 50,000
pairs of shoes a day, you can
readily see a very small mar-
gin per pair would pay them
nicely. See the R. & H.
SCHOOL SHOE. HARD
KNOCKS and EDUCATOR
for boys. The EDUCATOR
and MURULL for girls.

ROSS